



**COUNCILMEMBER DONNA FRYE**

City of San Diego  
Sixth District

**MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** March 6, 2009

**TO:** Council President Ben Hueso

**FROM:** Councilmember Donna Frye

**SUBJECT:** PRA Requirements for Outside Contractors

Please docket for discussion at the Rules committee the matter of Public Records Act requirements for outside contractors. As the city continues to use outside contractors we need to ensure that the public has the ability to see how their tax dollars are being spent. It is critical that any private entity that contracts with the city to provide services to the public be held to the same standards that the public has come to expect from city departments regarding the release of public records.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

CC: Honorable City Councilmembers  
Jan Goldsmith, City Attorney  
Andrea Tevlin, Independent Budget Analyst

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